Financing plan for NHDP-V

(Rs. in crores at 01-01-2006 prices)

Particulars	Approved Cost
Govt. Funds (Cess & Borrowed Funds)	5,519
BOT (Share of Private Sector)	35,691
TOTAL (excluding IDC and escalation)	41,210

Financing plan for NHDP-VI

(Rs. in crores at 01-01-2006 prices)

Particulars	Approved Cost
Govt. Funds (Cess & Borrowed Funds)	7,680
BOT (Share of Private Sector)	9,000
TOTAL (excluding IDC and escalation)	16,680

Financing Plan for NHDP-VII

(Rs. in crores at 06-12-2007 prices)

Particulars	Approved Cost
Govt. Funds (Cess & Borrowed Funds)	6,302
BOT (Share of Private Sector)	10,378
TOTAL (excluding IDC and escalation)	16,680

Maintenance of NHs

†734. SHRI KRISHAN LAL BALMIKI: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the amount for strengthening of planned works selected under N.H.D.P. during the period prescribed by N.H.A.I. is not being sanctioned by Government;

(b) if so, the Authority responsible for the maintenance of the roads during the period; and

(c) whether it is N.H.A.I. or his Ministry responsible for the maintenance of roads?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIAPPA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) For stretches identified under National Highways Development Project (NHDP), the responsibility for carrying out strengthening and maintenance work is with the concerned agency till such time as the roads are entrusted to National Highways Authority of India (NHAI). In case of sections entrusted to NHAI where, four/six laning has not yet started, the maintenance of existing roads is being carried out by the NHAI directly or through State Public Works Departments with funds provided by the NHAI. Wherever four/six laning works under NHDP are under implementation, the maintenance of existing roads is carried out by the Contractor/Concessionaire as part of their obligations under contract/concession agreement with the NHAI. After the completion of four/six laning works, the comprehensive maintenance is regularly carried out by NHAI.

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